

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS**

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1580
TO BE ANSWERED ON 27.11.2019
STARTING JAN SHATABDI TRAIN**

1580. DR. MOHAMMAD JAWED:

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether there is any proposal to start Jan Shatabdi on the route Kishanganj-Patna-Kishanganj;**
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and**
- (c) if not, the reasons therefor?**

ANSWER

MINISTER OF RAILWAYS AND COMMERCE & INDUSTRY

(SHRI PIYUSH GOYAL)

(a) to (c) Presently, 14 pairs of trains including 13247/13248 Guwahati – Rajendranagar Capital Express are adequately catering to the needs of Kishanganj – Patna sector. At present, there is no proposal to introduce Jan Shatabdi services between Kishanganj and Patna owing to operational and resource constraints. However, introduction of trains is an ongoing process on Indian Railways subject to operational feasibility, resource availability, etc.
